

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR ORANGE COUNTY CITIES

June 6, 2006 PRIMARY ELECTION

February 13, 2006* (E-113)	Resolution calling election to Registrar of Voters (ROV). This is not a statutory deadline; however, it helps to have the resolution as soon as possible.
February 13, 2006* (E-113)	First day of candidate filing.
March 10, 2006 (E-88)	Last day for candidate to file nomination documents and candidate's statement unless there is an extension.
March 10, 2006 (E-88)	Last day to consolidate with General Election. Resolution containing a measure must be to ROV by 5:00 p.m. on March 10, 2006. If you wish to have full text printed in the sample ballot, we need to have full text by March 10.
March 10, 2006 (E-88)	Last day for direct arguments and city attorney impartial analysis. If your Council passes a resolution prior to March 10, adjust the date accordingly. However, March 10 is the very last day in order to meet printing deadlines.
March 11, 2006 through March 20, 2006 (E-87 – 78)	Public Review period for candidates' statements, measure text, impartial analysis and direct arguments. Candidates' statements will be posted on the ROV website.
March 11, 2006* (E-87)	First day of extended candidate filing period. Candidate filing is only extended if an incumbent eligible for re-election does not file nomination documents prior to 5:00 pm. on March 10, 2006. Incumbents are not eligible to file during the extended period.
March 13, 2006 (E-85)	ROV will email measure letter designations to cities that have measures on the ballot.
March 13, 2006 (E-85)	Cities in which there is no extended filing period, please provide the ROV office with copies of nomination documents and candidates' statements by March 13, 2006, 5:00 p.m.
March 15, 2006 (E-83)	Last day of extended filing period.

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March 16, 2006 (E-82)	Random Draw – ROV will email to cities just as soon as the random is received from the Secretary of State. May also access the information on the Secretary of State's website: www.ss.ca.gov .
March 16, 2006 (E-82)	Cities that had an extension need to provide the ROV with copies of nomination documents and candidates' statements by 5:00 p.m., March 16, 2006.
March 16, 2006 through March 24, 2006 (E-82-74)	Public Review period for candidates' statements filed during the extended filing period. Candidates' statements will be posted on the ROV website.
March 20, 2006 (E-78)	Last day for rebuttal arguments. If your direct arguments are due prior to March 10, 2006, the rebuttals must be filed 10 days after the direct arguments.
March 21, 2006 through March 30, 2006 (E-77 – 68)	Public Review period for rebuttal arguments. All court action must be finalized by March 30, 2006, 5:00 p.m. to be included in the ROV sample ballot pamphlet.
April 10, 2006 (E-57)	First day for write-in candidates to take out nomination documents.
April 27, 2006 (E-40)	Sample ballot pamphlet mailing begins approximately this date. Mailing completed by approximately May 27.
April 27, 2006 (E-40)	ROV will mail a list of polling places within your city.
May 8, 2006 (E-29)	First day absentee ballots are available. All absentee ballots will be issued through the ROV. If you received requests at your City Hall, please forward to ROV.

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May 22, 2006 (E-15)	Last day to register to vote for the June 6, 2006 General Election.
May 23, 2006 (E-14)	Last day for write-in candidates to file nomination documents.
May 30, 2006 (E-7)	Last day to apply for regular absentee ballots.
May 30, 2006 (E-7)	ROV will mail a CD containing the registered voters within your city.
May 31, 2006 through June 6, 2006 (E-6 – 0)	Emergency absentee ballots issued at ROV office.
June 6, 2006 (E-0)	Election Day. Polls open 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
June 8, 2006 (E+2)	Official Canvass begins.
July 4, 2006* (E+28)	ROV will certify on or before this date.

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